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Sir:

Responsive to the Official Action mailed March 9, 2007, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 37 of this paper.